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Gov. Bradley was married in 1867 to Miss Margaret Robertson Duncan, of Lancaster. Two children were born to this union, a son, George Robertson Bradley, who died at the age of twenty-four years, and a daughter, Christine, who christened the battleship Kentucky, and married Dr. John G. South, of Frankfort.

Strayed.

From my home, one mile east of Crayne, on or about Feb. 17, 1908, one Black Jersey Cow, four years old. Any information as to her whereabouts will be gladly received by.

J. W. FLETCHER.

Marriage License.

R. M. Agee to Nellie Wheeler.
F. W. Moore to Linnie Metz.
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School for Teachers.

The undersigned intend to conduct a Teachers' Normal in the school building at Marion, immediately after the close of the present school term.

This normal will continue for six weeks. The course will consist of review work in the common branches, the study of first class text-book on methods, and other lines of work that may seem to be of most value in the preparation of a teacher.

I wish every teacher in the county might attend the State Normal at Bowling Green or some other first class school for the training of teachers. If you are situated that you can not attend one of these schools make your arrangements to join us in the Normal at Marion. If you contemplate attending or desire information concerning the work, drop a card to, Jno. P. KING, Marion, Ky.

A Letter From Kansas.

Americus, Kans., March 2, 1908.

Editor RECORD-PRESS:—Just a few lines in your paper to my friends and relatives in Crittenden and Livingston counties. When I left Kentucky some seven or eight years ago some of my friends requested me to write the Press a letter when I got settled.

I will now take the pleasure to inform them that I am located 120 miles West of Kansas City, on a branch of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad in the Sunflower State forty miles from the center stone of the United States at Fort Riley, Kansas.

Kansas is a very good country to live in, but the chickens roost too high for a poor man here. Land is worth from \$50 to \$250 per acre here in Kansas.

I am engaged in farming. The principal crops are corn, wheat, alfalfa, cane, potatoes and all kinds of fruit. We have a very good market at present. Corn is worth 50 cents per bushel, wheat 98 cents, cane seed 80 cents, wild hay \$6 per ton, alfalfa \$8, millet seed 75 cents, hogs 4 cents per pound, cattle 5 cents, chickens \$5 per dozen and I haven't any to sell.

Kansas ten or fifteen years ago was a grand country for a poor man. If he had come to Kansas then and used energy no doubt but what he would have been well fixed now. Land has advanced in price rapidly for the last few years. Rent here is getting higher every year all though a good renter here can make some money yet, but could do much better in some other good farming country where rent is not so high.

The hog and chicken raising is getting to be a very paying business in the West most everywhere. I think this is the best paying business for a poor man in this country, as it don't require a very large capital to carry on this business.

My advice to a man with small means is to go Southwest to Texas or New Mexico and use energy, good judgment and economy for a few years and you will soon have a farm for yourself. I aim to go there myself next year. JOHN M. RYAN.

Notice--Sale.

On Friday the 13th, day of March, 1908, at the residence of Lewis Walker, deceased, I will sell to the highest bidder one mule, two horses, wagon and harness, one jersey cow, farm utensils, household and kitchen furniture and on same day I will rent the farm for the year 1908. Terms made known on day of sale.

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He is noted as a political campaigner, and his services on the stump have been given to his party in many States of the Union. He was one of the 306 who at the Republican National Convention held in Chicago in 1880, voted for thirty-seven ballots for Gen. U. S. Grant for a third term as President. He seconded the nomination of Gen. Grant in that convention, and also officiated in like capacity for Theodore Roosevelt, at the Republican National Convention held in Chicago in 1904.

Gov. Bradley was married in 1867 to Miss Margaret Robertson Duncan, of Lancaster. Two children were born to this union, a son, George Robertson Bradley, who died at the age of twenty-four years, and a daughter, Christine, who christened the battleship Kentucky, and married Dr. John G. South, of Frankfort.

Strayed.

From my home, one mile east of Crayne, on or about Feb. 17, 1908, one Black Jersey Cow, four years old. Any information as to her whereabouts will be gladly received by.

J. W. FLETCHER.

Marriage License.

R. M. Agee to Nellie Wheeler.
F. W. Moore to Linnie Metz.
Chas. Hughes to Maudie Crayne.

School for Teachers.

The undersigned intend to conduct a Teachers' Normal in the school building at Marion, immediately after the close of the present school term.

This normal will continue for six weeks. The course will consist of review work in the common branches, the study of first class text-book on methods, and other lines of work that may seem to be of most value in the preparation of a teacher.

I wish every teacher in the county might attend the State Normal at Bowling Green or some other first class school for the training of teachers. If you are situated that you can not attend one of these schools make your arrangements to join us in the Normal at Marion. If you contemplate attending or desire information concerning the work, drop a card to, Jno. P. KING, Marion, Ky.

A Letter From Kansas.

Americus, Kans., March 2, 1908. Editor RECORD-PRESS:—Just a few lines in your paper to my friends and relatives in Crittenden and Livingston counties. When I left Kentucky some seven or eight years ago some of my friends requested me to write the Press a letter when I got settled.

I will now take the pleasure to inform them that I am located 120 miles West of Kansas City, on a branch of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad in the Sunflower State forty miles from the center stone of the United States at Fort Riley, Kansas.

Kansas is a very good country to live in, but the chickens roost too high for a poor man here. Land is worth from \$50 to \$250 per acre here in Kansas.

I am engaged in farming. The principal crops are corn, wheat, alfalfa, cane, potatoes and all kinds of fruit. We have a very good market at present. Corn is worth 50 cents per bushel, wheat 98 cents, cane seed 80 cents, wild hay \$6 per ton, alfalfa \$8, millet seed 75 cents, hogs 4 cents per pound, cattle 5 cents, chickens \$5 per dozen and I haven't any to sell.

Kansas ten or fifteen years ago was a grand country for a poor man. If he had come to Kansas then and used energy no doubt but what he would have been well fixed now. Land has advanced in price rapidly for the last few years. Rent here is getting higher every year all though a good renter here can make some money yet, but could do much better in some other good farming country where rent is not so high.

The hog and chicken raising is getting to be a very paying business in the West most everywhere. I think this is the best paying business for a poor man in this country, as it don't require a very large capital to carry on this business.

My advice to a man with small means is to go Southwest to Texas or New Mexico and use energy, good judgment and economy for a few years and you will soon have a farm for yourself. I aim to go there myself next year. JOHN M. RYAN.

Notice--Sale.

On Friday the 13th, day of March, 1908, at the residence of Lewis Walker, deceased, I will sell to the highest bidder one mule, two horses, wagon and harness, one jersey cow, farm utensils, household and kitchen furniture and on same day I will rent the farm for the year 1908. Terms made known on day of sale.

J. P. PIERCE, Guardian for Walker Heirs. 40-2t.

CATARRH YIELDS

To Healing Air of Hyomei—Sold Under Guarantee by Haynes & Taylor.

Catarrh is the most prevalent disease known to humanity. Probably ninety per cent. of the people in this country suffer at one time or another with this common disease.

It is a germ disease and hence can be cured only by some method that will reach and destroy the germs.

This is best found in Hyomei, which may be called the direct method of treating catarrh, as its medication, taken in with the air you breathe, goes directly to ever air cell in the nose, throat and lungs; kills all catarrhal germs; heals the irritated mucous membrane and vitalizes the tissues so as to render catarrh no longer possible.

The unique way in which Hyomei is sold should dispel all doubt as to its curative properties, for Haynes & Taylor give their absolute guarantee to refund the price to any catarrh sufferer that Hyomei fails to benefit. You do not risk a cent in testing its healing powers. What offer could be more fair to you than this, where a leading druggist takes all the risk of Hyomei giving satisfaction, and leaves you to be the judge.

Slocum's Captain Gets ten Years.

New York, Feb. 28.—Capt. Wm. H. Van Schaick, master of the ill-fated steamboat, Gen. Slocum, in the burning of which 1,000 persons were killed, surrendered himself this morning to United States Marshall Henkel, and was taken to Sing Sing prison to serve his ten year's imprisonment at hard labor for misconduct, negligence and inattention to duty as master on board the Slocum. Capt. Van Schaick was sentenced on January 27, 1906, but he appealed from the judgment, which has now been sustained by the United States circuit court of appeals. On his trip to prison the aged man was accompanied by his wife and his son.

Don't Complain.

If your chest pains and you are unable to sleep because of a cough, buy a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and you won't have any cough. Get a bottle now and that cough will not last long. A cure for all pulmonary diseases. Mrs. Galveston, Texas, writes: "I can't say enough for Ballard's Horehound Syrup. The relief it has given me is all that is necessary for me to say. Sold by Jas. H. Orme."

"Ma!"

"Yes, dearest; what is it?"

"Did you buy my baby sister at the grocery?"

"Of course not. What ever put such an idea in your head?"

"It says on the grocer's wagon, 'Families supplied.'"—Judge.

Hogwallow News.

Never measure a man's bravery by the length of his gun or the depth of his voice.

Dock Hooks will depart tonight for Bounding Billows, where on tomorrow morning he will shave Sap Spradlen's neck.

The peach tree that will not bear peaches is no more of a fruit tree than a sassafras.

The good old world is deaf to a lot of things, but to the faint jingle of money we are all ears.

Columbus Allsop has called a mask meeting of the night riders of Musket Ridge for Saturday night. The meeting will be held at Rye Straw to set a date for the big raid on Bat Smith's moonshine still house.

The high-flyers are not always the finest feathered. Look at the buzzard.

A chicken scratches in the earth for something to eat; a writer scratches on paper for the same, and gets it, if he knows how to scratch.

Grammer teaches us that onions will taint the breath, therefore taint nice to eat them.

Isaac Hellwanger warns all to keep their cows and horses from standing around on the ground while it is so damp.

A Democrat is a man who thinks he is right, and a Republican is a man who thinks the Democrat is wrong.

Nearly everybody has some good qualities, or property, or something that makes them popular.

Columbus Allsop has traded for a pair of new square specs. They are made so that he can slide them down his nose when he wants to see good.

While at the sorghum mill the other day Fletcher Henstep walked through some hot ashes and the veterinary surgeon thinks as a result of the burn he will lose one of his toes. If this happens Fletcher will have only four toes left on that foot.

What's the need of waving every time a train passes.

A clock always strikes one at a time.

Comic valentines continue to be used to express your private opinion of a person you publicly esteem.

Night riders have warned Tobe Mosely not to raise so many mulberries this year.

Fish should never venture out far from where they are hatched until they learn to swim.

It has been decided to move the clock around so the Dog Hill preacher can see it.

When it rains the waters in the creek are made muddy by the dirt washed into them from the shore; in other words the creek's environment makes it muddy. Which is the same with the environment of people.

No Use to Die.

"I have found out that there is no use to die of lung trouble as long as you can get Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. J. P. White, of Rushboro, Pa. "I would not be alive to-day only for that wonderful medicine. It loosens up a cough quicker than anything else, and cures lung diseases even after the case is pronounced hopeless." This most reliable remedy for coughs and colds, lagrippe, asthma, bronchitis and hoarseness, is sold under guarantee at Jas. H. Orme and Haynes & Taylor's drug stores. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

A Fine Crop and Nice Income.

A. T. Wolf, of Iron Hill section, delivered his tobacco crop here at the Equity Ware-house. He finished last Wednesday and he received \$1,342.00 in cash. He raised 154,000 lbs and received the top price ten and four for it. He cultivated eleven acres. We doubt if the fabled stories of abundant crops which are wafted to us by advertising agents from the four quarters of the globe to entice the happy yeomanry of old Crittenden to fields anew and pastures green, contain in a single instance such substantial figures as the above.

A Fable of the Future.



In 1920 A. D. the Stingiest Man in Stringtown carted his Household Goods to the Depot and bought a ticket for Millionville, the Metropolis.

"Why are you moving to Millionville?" inquired a Citizen.

"To save postage," replied the Stingiest Man. Whereat the Citizen marveled mightily.

Now, be it known that the Stingiest Man in Stringtown was wise in his Day and Generation, for along back in 1907 A. D. or thereabout it became the Settled Habit of the Stringtown people to purchase Large Sheets of Little Stickers bearing portraits of G. Washington, B. Franklin, W. McKinley and other Late Illustrious Ones, which Specimens of Art they straightway stuck on envelopes and sent to a Large and Luring Mail Order Concern in Millionville. Wherefore it came about that the Seven Stores in Stringtown Shut up Shop, one after the other, until along in 1919 A. D. the Stingiest Man found it incumbent upon him to begin purchasing these Small Specimens of Art to present to the Maw of the Monster in Millionville, and the Aforesaid was Simply too Stingy to stand for the Same.

MORAL: If you can't see the Moral without being Missouriified, look up the Ad. of an Oculist in this Paper and purchase a Pair of Specs.

PORTRAITS OF KENTUCKY'S GOVERNORS FREE!

Every Governor's Picture From Isaac Shelby to Augustus E. Willson.

For the first time in the history of the State a complete collection of the portraits of Kentucky's Governors has been secured, and the Louisville Evening Post has made it possible to place them in the hands of every citizen of this grand old Commonwealth.

The collection was secured after art galleries and private collections all over the United States had been drawn upon. A few of them are very rare, and one of the Governors is the only picture in existence. It was secured at an expense of several hundred dollars.

The portraits of Kentucky Governors are grouped around a new map of Kentucky which has just been especially engraved at a cost of \$3,500, and is the latest and best map of Kentucky ever printed. It shows all of the new railroads built in Kentucky in 1907.

In addition to the latest Kentucky map and portraits of Kentucky's Governors, there are nine other maps of great value, among them a map of the United States showing all of the new possessions including the Philippines, Hawaii, Porto Rico, and a map of Panama zone, also a map of the world.

In addition to these maps there are the portraits of all the Presidents of the United States and the Rulers of all Nations, together with coat of arms and flags. The three last census reports of all the towns in the State of Kentucky.

Taking this wall chart as a whole it is one of the latest up-to-date atlases for the home that has been produced up to this time.

It contains six pages 28x36 inches. This wall chart is given away absolutely free to readers of this paper. Ask us about it.

Every home in Kentucky should have one of these Governors' Wall Charts, for there has never before been published in any form a complete collection of Kentucky Governors' portraits, and every man, woman and child in every home of the State should know who all of their Governors have been and when they served.

It has cost the Evening Post several thousand dollars to secure this collection of Kentucky Governors' portraits and while the chart alone is worth at least \$1.50, yet we give it away to old subscribers who renew their subscription or to new subscribers. Everybody should have a daily newspaper this year as well as their county paper. This is Presidential year. Call at our office and see this splendid Kentucky Governors' Wall Chart, or send for circular with full description.

Cease Your Worry.

If your child is threatened with croup give it Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and all danger will be avoided. It contains nothing in any way injurious and is pleasant to take. Sold by J. H. Orme.

Ain't It Awful, Mabel.

Following are the best verses of a lengthy poem which was the origin of that new theatrical slang expression "Ain't It Awful, Mabel?"

The poem is supposed to be a conversation of two chorus girls, and was written by Hazzard, a New York actor.

It worries me to beat the band To hear folks say our lives is grand; Wish they'd try some one-night stand. Ain't it awful, Mabel?

Met a boy last Tuesday night, He was spendin' left and right— Me gee! I couldn't eat a bite! Ain't it awful, Mabel?

Then I met another guy— Hungry well, I thought I'd die! But I couldn't make him buy. Ain't it awful, Mabel?

Lots of men have called me dear, Said without me life was drear; But man is all so un sincere! Ain't it awful, Mabel?

Saved From Being a Cripple for Life.

"Almost six or seven weeks ago I became paralyzed all at once with rheumatism," writes Mrs. Louis McKee, 913 Seventh Street, Oakland, Cal. "It struck me in the back and extended from the hip of my right leg down to my foot. The attack was so severe that I could not move in bed and was afraid that I should be a cripple for life."

"About twelve years ago I received a sample bottle of your Lini-ment but never had occasion to use it, as I have always been well, but something told me that Sloan's Lini-ment would help me, so I tried it. After the second application I could get up out of bed, and in three days could walk, and now feel well and entirely free from pain."

"My friends were very much surprised at my rapid recovery and I was only too glad to tell them that Sloan's Lini-ment was the only medicine I used."

For Sale.

A house and three vacant lots in Marion, two story frame, containing eight rooms, good well and cistern and several kinds of fruits. In Clark Addition. E. H. Newcom.

Eczema and rimples

are quickly and permanently cured by ZEMO, a clean liquid for external use. ZEMO draws the germs to the surface of the skin and destroys them, leaving a nice clear healthy skin. Write E. W. Rose Med. Co., St. Louis, Mo., for sample. All Druggists sell ZEMO. HAYNES & TAYLOR

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup

Relieves Colds by working them out of the system through a copious and healthy action of the bowels.

Relieves coughs by cleansing the mucous membranes of the throat, chest and bronchial tubes.

"As pleasant to the taste as Maple Sugar"

Children Like It

For BACKACHE—WEAK KIDNEYS Try DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills—Sure and Safe JAS. H. ORME.

Bad Backache

Such agonies as some women suffer, every month, from backache!

Is it necessary? No. It can be prevented and relieved, when caused by female troubles, by taking a medicine with specific, curative action, on the female organs and functions, which acts by relieving the congestion, stopping the pain and building the organs and functions up to a proper state of health. Try.

WINE OF CARDUI WOMAN'S RELIEF

"I suffered for 15 years," writes Mrs. Malinda A. Akers, of Basham, Va., "with various female troubles. I had such a backache that it drew me over, so I could not stand straight. The doctors could not help me, so I took Cardui, and now I feel like a new woman."

At All Druggists

WRITE FOR FREE ADVICE, stating age and describing symptoms, to Ladies Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. E 28

Learn Telegraphy.

We have advance calls for over 5,000 graduates to be furnished in the coming year. The new eight-hour law, going into effect next March, has created a shortage of about 20,000 telegraphers on the railroads of the United States. Positions paying \$60 to \$90 per month to beginners absolutely guaranteed under a \$150 bond.

This Institute is the largest of its kind in America and is under the direct supervision of railway officials. Enter at any time. Write for full details.

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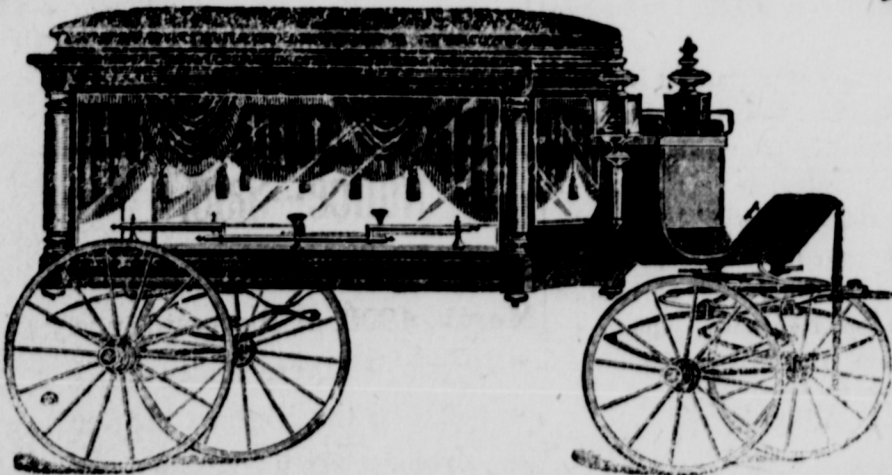


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New Steel Water-proof Vaults. Fine Cloth Covered Lead lined Cedar Caskets, Metallic Burial Cases and Coffins of all Kinds.



New designs in Furniture, Tables, Chairs, Hall Trees, Lenox Mattresses, and a complete line of good furniture at "Live and Let Live" prices. Picture moulding and frames made to order.

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Always combine the desirable features of silver plate—artistic designs with highest grade of plate. Remember the stamp of the genuine Rogers. Sold by leading dealers. Send for Catalogue "C. L." to the makers.
International Silver Co., Meriden, Conn.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Wise is the infant that looks before it creeps.

Animal stories of nature fakers seems to be denatured.

As soon as a woman becomes heartless her case is hopeless.

You can't borrow happiness, but it's different with trouble.

Instead of regretting yesterday get busy and do something today.

Lectures make a married man tired—if they are of the "curtain" variety.

A girl is seldom interested in a young man unless she declares that she isn't.

Many a man's run-down reputation is due to his fondness for running up bills.

The instinct that causes a woman to attend a murder trial makes a man give up \$10 to see a prize fight.

A woman will forgive almost any old thing in a man if he can make her believe that he is in love with her.

If a man agrees with a woman she thinks he is a fool; if he doesn't she considers him stubborn.

Unless a man makes a woman jealous he will never know how mean she can be.

Profane language has no alarm for a man who won't even swear at an alarm clock.

When some women cast their bread upon the water it comes back in the guise of a bread pudding.—Chicago News.

Keep it Handy

You may not need Chamberlain's Cough's Remedy now, but at this season of the year you are liable to need it within twenty-four hours. It is, without doubt, the best on the market, for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. For sale by J. H. Orme.

Cough Caution

Never, positively never poison your lungs. If you cough—even from a simple cold—only—should always treat it with Chamberlain's Cough's Remedy. Don't blindly suppress it with a sneezing powder. It's strange how some things finally come about. For twenty years Dr. Shoop has constantly warned people not to take cough mixtures or prescriptions containing Opium, Chloroform, or similar poisons. And now—a little late though—Congress says "Put it on the label, if poisons are in your Cough Mixture." Good! Very good! Hereafter for this very reason, mothers and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison marks on Dr. Shoop's label—and none in the medicine, else it must be sold to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance then, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and note the difference. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding

Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure

JAS. H. ORME.

WHITE'S Green Vermifuge

THE GUARANTEED **WORM REMEDY**

THE CHILDREN'S FAVORITE TONIC.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS. THE GENUINE PREPARED ONLY BY **WATKINS & SON'S** Fruitland, N.Y.

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CERTAIN RESULTS

Many a Kentucky Citizen Knows How Sure They Are.

Nothing uncertain about the work of Doan's Kidney Pills in Kentucky. There is plenty of positive proof of this in the testimony of citizens. Such evidence should convince the most skeptical sufferer. Read the following statement:

Mrs. L. Varalli, living at 923 Fifth St., Louisville, Ky., says: "I am happy to say that Doan's Kidney Pills have been of great benefit to me and other members of my family. I frequently had attacks of backache and kidney trouble before using your remedy, but after using two boxes of the pills the trouble was entirely cured. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to a great many of my friends for I attribute my present good health to the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. They certainly do all that is claimed for them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Foreign Letter.

Nikko, Japan, August 24:—The festival of Ieyasu took place as advertised. A slight shower passed and the day was faultless. Midway up the grand avenue the hotel had provided benches and refreshments and there we sat and waited at noon. With piercing shouts a crowd of men and boys appeared, dragging a large pine tree up the avenue, followed by a multitude of people eager to secure branches as charms against evil spirits. So great was their success that on reaching the summit the stalk was bare. The echo of these shouts had scarce died away when the entrance way was thrown open, and the religious procession was seen to leave the grounds and proceed down the avenue. If you wish to see something that will divert you you should see this procession. It is a religious masquerade. The procession approaches with music and waving banners. At the head were priests, mounted on the sacred ponies, and clothed in gold brocaded robes, or in crimson silk chasubles and white cassocks, followed by a retinue in bright yellow gowns and black lacquered caps, holding aloft huge temple fans on long, curious and characteristic poles. Warriors, dressed in ancient style and carrying the old time arms of Japan, played their parts also in this fantastic show.

Then came men and boys, wearing masks and quaint costumes of 300 years ago, belonging to the temple and worn only on festal days. They waved banners and curious flag-shaped ornaments used in temples; others carried live birds and monkeys or walked in pairs partly hidden under skins of ferocious beasts. Scattered at intervals were the sacred cars, huge structures built on wooden wheels, with temple-like roofs, black lacquered bodies, valances of rich needlework, gorgeous odd draperies of red and yellow silk, and drawn along by strings of devotees. Bands of music in the procession made a most horrible din with gongs while scores of primitive flutes and

fifes squeaked out their part of the terrible noise that Japanese call music. The procession was at least a mile long, and along the avenue, on both sides flooded an immense crowd which had congregated from every part of the country to enjoy this festival. The procession marched slowly over the sacred red bridge and through the town, holding high carnival until evening. The fete lasted but one day, and closed that night with a grand illustration of the temple and grounds. Innumerable huge, gay colored paper lanterns flashed light from every building and gateway, the pagoda, the trees that line the stairway to the tomb and the tomb itself. Hundreds of bronze and stone lanterns added their quota to the light, and the vast crowd carried small lanterns of paper. The soft breeze swayed the golden windbells, and from the main avenue floated upward the deep tones of the great bronze bell, struck by its wooden hammer.

I walked up through this materialized fairyland to the summit of the hill and looked down over the long green vista of the pines over the brilliantly lighted grounds. It was a sight rare and impressive. The most beautiful spectacle I have ever beheld. It seemed as if the town with all the temples, and all the forests near by, had been converted into a land of fireflies. Dancing lanterns bobbed about the roadways, swaying trees scattered leaves of light, while swaying lanterns of the houses and temples seemed to give to the whole the appearance of light flowing like water over uneven rocks. This continued far into the night, and I watched it as it died down, first the dancing little lanterns of the pedestrians becoming fewer and fewer, then disappearing, followed slowly by larger lanterns on trees and houses, with the great stone and bronze lanterns of the temples remaining to the end and finally dying out, leaving the whole city to darkness.

I think the stream of lanterns carried by these people as they ascended and descended the numerous steps to various temples, and across little foot bridges over the streams, was the strangest sight I have ever seen, and the memory of it will remain as long as I live, for it was all so weird and uncanny that I could hardly bring myself to realize that all this light was caused by the little people with whom I came in contact every day. C. E. E.

Have One Doctor

No sense in running from one doctor to another. Select the best one, then stand by him. Do not delay, but consult him in time when you are sick. Ask his opinion of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and colds. Then use it or not, just as he says.

Ayer's

We publish our formulas. We banish alcohol from our medicines. We urge you to consult your doctor.

Always keep a box of Ayer's Pills in the house. Just one pill at bedtime, now and then, will ward off many an attack of biliousness, indigestion, sick headache. How many years has your doctor known these pills? Ask him all about them.

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TAKE ONE of the Little Tablets AND THE PAIN IS GONE.

Resolutions of Respect.

Mrs. Luara Utterback was born March 6, 1885 and died Jan. 25, 1908. She professed faith in Christ in early life and united with Clear Spring Baptist church in which she lived a consistent member until death; Therefore be it resolved: First That this church give expression of personal loss in her sad death.

Second—And to the assured belief that the cause of Christ has lost a staunch supporter by her sad death.

Third—That our prayers be offered that God may raise up her little daughter to take her place in our church.

Fourth—That our heartfelt sympathies go out to the family and young husband in this sad hour of bereavement.

Fifth—Whereas it hath pleased God to remove from earth a precious jewel, may we all bow in perfect submission and be ready to meet Cuara.

Done by regular church conference assembled Saturday before the Fourth Lord's day in February, 1908.

MRS. O. F. TOWERY,
MRS. PENNIE HOLLOWELL,
MRS. DENNIE HUBBARD.

Remember that when the Stomach nerves fail or weaken, Dyspepsia or Indigestion must always follow. But, strengthen these same weak inside nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and then see how quickly health will again return. Weak Heart and Kidney nerves can also be strengthened with the restorative, where the Heart pains, palpitation, or Kidney weakness is found. Don't drug the Stomach, nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. That is wrong. Go to the cause of these ailments. Strengthen these weak inside nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative and get well. A simple, single test will surely tell. Sold by Jas. H. Orme.

Largest Clock in the World.

When the tower of the Metropolitan Life building in Madison Square is completed New York will have what undoubtedly will be the largest clock in the world. That distinction has belonged for many years to "Big Ben" in Westminster Abbey, London, the dial of which is twenty-two and one-half feet in diameter, while that of the Metropolitan building clock will be twenty-five.

It will be a clock suitable in every way to be a part of the tallest permanent structure in the world, as the new tower will be. The tower will be forty-eight stories, 658 feet above the street and the clock will occupy part of the twenty-fifth, twenty-sixth and twenty-seventh floors. The middle of the dial will be 346 feet above the street.

Notwithstanding the fact that the dial will be a little more than half-way between the street and the top of the tower, it will be far above all surrounding buildings. It will be fifty feet higher than the Flatiron building.

The immense size of the clock will make it easy to tell the time from a great distance. The letters on the dial will be four feet high and the hands will be twelve feet long.

No clock has been ordered for the building yet, and it is not known just how it will be run. Some of the largest clocks are run by electricity, while some of the newer ones use compressed air.

The Lucky Quarter.

Is the one you pay out for a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They bring you the health that's more precious than Jewels. Try them for headache, biliousness, constipation and malaria. If they disappoint you the price will be cheerfully refunded at Jas. H. Orme and Haynes & Taylor's drug stores.

New Manager for the Hotel Latham.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 28.—George W. Thompson has given up the management of Hotel Latham, of which he took charge last October. J. B. Brewer, late of the Palace Hotel, Princeton, has leased the Latham through C. H. Hisgen, agent of John C. Latham, of New York, the owner. Mr. Thompson will locate in Seattle, Wash. The new lessee takes possession tomorrow.

\$100,000 paid by Dr. Shoop for any recent case of Grippe or Acute Cold a 25 cent box of preventives will not break. How is this for an offer? The Doctor's supreme confidence in these little Candy Cold Cure Tablets—Preventives—is certainly complete. It's a \$100, against 25 cents—pretty big odds. And Preventives, remember, contain no quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh nor sickening. Pneumonia would never appear if early colds were always broken. Safe and sure for feverish children. 48 Preventives 25c. Sold by J. H. Orme.

The Nature Lover.

The city's life appeals to some, But why, I cannot see. It makes a cheerful people glum. The simple life for me!

A small estate, a cow or so, Some bonds with income sure, A porcelain bath in which to go— I wouldn't ask for more.

From city toil and city ways, Dear Heaven, set me free! If I must live in striving days, The simple life for me.

—The "Gilt Edge" Man.

If you would like to fool some wise Coffee Critic, who "knows fine Coffee on taste and flavor," quietly make for him a batch of Dr. Shoop's "Health Coffee" and serve it piping hot. It deceived Mrs. Shoop, and will I believe deceive any one. And there is not a grain of real Coffee in it. Health Coffee is made from pure toasted grains malt, nuts etc. Made in a Minute—no 20 to 30 minutes tedious boiling. 1½ pounds 25c. Sold by Morris & Yates.

"The north wind doth blow And we shall have snow, And what will the poor robin do then?"

In the cafe, as quail He'll appear, without fail, Priced (broiled) at a dollar and ten. —Ex.

Tickling or dry Coughs will quickly loosen when using Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless, that Dr. Shoop tells mothers to use nothing else, even for very young babies. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub give the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the cough, and heals the sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing used to injure or suppress. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Take no other. Sold Jas. H. Orme.

The man who whispers down a well, About the goods he has to sell, Won't earn the golden, gleaming dollars, Like he who climbs a tree and hollers. —Ex.

Best Healer in World.

Rev. F. Starbird, of East Raymond, Maine, says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve for several years, on my old army wound, and other obstinate sores, and find it the best healer in the world. I use it too with great success in my veterinary business." Price 25c. at Jas. H. Orme and Haynes & Taylor drug stores.

Eczema is Now Curable

ZEMO, a scientific preparation for external use. Stops itching instantly and destroys the germs that cause skin diseases. Eczema quickly yields and is permanently cured by this remarkable medicine. All Druggists. Write for sample. E. W. Rose Med. Co., St. Louis, Mo. HAYNES & TAYLOR

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No. 205 Hopkinsville Ex. 3:55 p m

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Notice.

One five-room frame building, been built three years, situated on the corner of Springly and Commerce streets, being 110x138 feet, with all necessary out buildings. A pretty house for anyone. Will sell on Saturday, April 4, 1908, to highest bidder. Half cash, balance on twelve months time. Title good.

A new store house and lot. House 20x60 feet, lot 40x102 feet back. The best house in Dyeusburg and situated on corner of Main and Walnut streets. Will sell at private sale. Terms, half down, rest twelve months.

Also a fine building lot 42x102 feet adjoining the above property. Same terms as above. This is given up to be the best property in town, as it is situated in the heart of town. Reason for selling, bad health.

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FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

stops the cough and heals lungs

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Is the Force that Shakes the Fruit out of the Fortune Tree. If you want some Real Bargains now is your time to Get Busy.

We still have some extra values in Men'n and Boys'

CLOTHING!

and we are willing to prove what we say.

Don't Wait!

Somebody will get the first choice and why not get it yourself. We are making

Clean-Up Prices.

Come right along, don't wait to see what others are doing. We mean to clean up all Winter Goods in the next two weeks.

Extra Bargains in EXTRA PANTS.

If you don't believe you can get a \$4.00 pair of pants for \$2.00, just come and see

Come examine our line of Shirts at 50c and \$1.00. We will save you money and please you.

Dress Goods

BARGAINS!

In order to clean up all winter goods in the next two weeks we are making special prices in this line. Now is your opportunity to get Extra Bargains.

COMPLETE LINE Mattings, Druggets AND RUGS.

Lace Curtains, Curtain Swisses and Window Shades.

Cambric and Swiss EMBROIDERIES.

Who Ever Heard of Shoes Being Made Too Good?

We never, but we have them just as good as they can be made, and we do not charge you any more for them than you pay for many others that much inferior to ours. Try us once and you will continue to buy your Shoes "right here" ever after.

Tobacco Canvas

TAYLOR & CANNAN

Tobacco Canvas



F. W. Nunn, dentist, Press Building
C. E. Doss was in Fulton Thursday.

Miss Cora Buckner, of Fredonia, is the guest of Mrs. George Roberts.

Miss Ina Koon, of Frances, was the guest of Miss Nelle Clifton, Sunday.

Mr. John A. Clark, who has been very ill for several weeks, is improving.

Miss Rebecca Williams is spending this week at her home in Providence.

Mrs. L. G. Taylor has been quite ill for several days and is reported no better today.

C. H. Young and Mr. Barnhill, of Madisonville, spent Sunday with friends in this city.

O. E. Gill, of Milburn, Okla., who has been visiting relatives in this city, left Saturday.

Spurlin McCord, of Banton, was in the city Saturday. He is manager of the telephone exchange there.

WANTED:—An apprentice girl to learn the millinery business. Apply at the RECORD-PRESS office for information.

Miss Anna Haynes, who is attending school at St. Vincent, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Haynes.

Marion McConnell, who has been clerking for J. I. Loyd at Fredonia, is at home on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McConnell.

Rev. W. T. Oakley was called to Lisman Friday to preach the funeral of Mrs. Perryman, mother-in-law of Mr. E. G. Thompson, a prominent tobacco dealer.

Mrs. T. M. Hurst and daughter arrived Tuesday afternoon from Pittsburg and they with Rev. T. M. Hurst will keep house in the Blackburn-Weldon addition.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbert arrived in the city Saturday, and she is now visiting her mother, Mrs. R. A. Moore. Mr. Gilbert left Sunday for Crofton, Ky., where he has accepted a position as telegraph operator.

Mrs. Martha Armstrong, relict of the late Robert Armstrong, who moved from this county to Kansas several years ago, died at her home near Bellville, Kansas, on Wednesday, Feb. 19, 1908. She was in her seventy-eighth year. She is survived by one sister, Miss Emeline Hill, of this city. She leaves four sons and one daughter, all of whom reside in the West.

F. W. Nunn, dentist, Press Building
Frank Doss spent Thursday with relatives in this city.

Henry Wilson, of Princeton, was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. W. N. Rochester was the guest of friends in Evansville Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah Elder left Friday for Sturgis, where she will visit her daughters.

Sylvan Price left Saturday morning for Nashville where he will take a business course.

Miss Amanda Campbell was called to Grand Rivers Wednesday to see a sister, who is ill.

Mrs. W. D. Cannan spent Tuesday with her father, Mr. P. C. Stephens and family, at Repton.

George Forte, of Cadiz, spent Sunday with his cousins, Misses Irabelle and Willie Carliss, of this city.

Miss Woods, of Cincinnati, arrived Wednesday night and will trim for Mrs. Lola Davidson this season.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Wing left Monday for Peoria and Ottawa, Ill., where they will visit relatives and friends.

Haywood Williams, of Providence, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Sam Gugenheim, left for home Monday.

Mrs. Ben Andres left Monday for Louisville, where she will visit relatives and friends before going to Missouri to make her home.

Mrs. Sam Gugenheim and little son, Samuel, left Monday morning for Providence, where they will spend this week with her parents.

Mrs. Chas. A. Moore and son, Hunter, left Saturday for Owensboro to make their home. Mr. Moore has a position in the revenue service.

Beginning with Monday night, March 9, I will close my store at 7 o'clock instead of 6 o'clock.

A. S. CAVENDER.

Mrs. J. R. Summerville and little daughter, Mildred, of Mattoon, spent Monday with her father, Mr. C. E. Doss and family.

C. H. Wiggins and wife, of Foster, Ky., were here Saturday and Sunday the guests of his sister, Mrs. Markham Terry. They returned home Monday.

Dr. W. U. Hodges and family, of Shady Grove, were in the city Thursday enroute to Polk, Bolivar county, Mo., where they will locate. Dr. Hodges has practiced quite successfully in this county since he graduated and had a good practice and many friends here. He goes west to grow up with the country and hopes to benefit his bank account by the move.

F. W. Nunn, dentist, Press Building
Mrs. W. O. Tucker is the guest of Mrs. H. C. Rice of Fredonia.

Any one in Marion wanting Fire Insurance, Call on R. L. Flanary.

Maston Davis went to Princeton Wednesday to meet Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davis.

Mr. G. R. Brown visited his daughter Mrs. Grover White Thursday and Friday.

Miss Addie Boyd, of Salem, was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Freeman the first of the week.

Miss Laura Hurley left Monday for Nashville where she will study the new styles in millinery.

R. L. Flanary has secured some exceptionally good Companies and is not writing Fire Insurance in Town.

Miss Mabel Minner closed a very successful school at Oakland, near Repton, Friday and is now at home.

M. C. Sutherland left Wednesday for Burlington, Ill., where he has a position as night operator.

Mr. and Mrs. James Terry returned Tuesday morning from their wedding trip to Joplin, Mo., where they visited friends.

Mrs. C. R. Newcom and sons, Bassett and Clarence, are guest of her sisters, Mesdames R. L. Moore and J. T. Dodge.

Will G. Clifton left Wednesday for Louisville. He will travel for the Swann-Abraham Hat Co., of that city and is now in market making preparations for his trip on the road.

Miss Blanche Haase arrived Tuesday from Wheeling, W. Va., where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. A. Wheat. She was accompanied by her nephew, Master Thomas wheat.

Mrs. Annette Jackson left Monday morning for St. Louis where she will select her Spring line of millinery and study the new styles and fads for women's head wear.

Mr. Albert Elder, who is attending the Bowling Green Business University, is getting along nicely we hear and is much pleased with the course of study.

Mr. Guy R. Gibbs, of Truman, Ark., but now of Pinckneyville, was in town the first of the week visiting friends and relatives. He left Tuesday for Mexico, where he will make his future home.—Livingston Banner.

Notice.

To my old friends that are owing me, will please call and settle with me as I am needing the money.

Respectfully,

L. L. PRICE, Levis.

DYCUSBURG.

We are having a great deal of pneumonia now.

The farmers continue to bring in their tobacco and all of them seem to be perfectly satisfied with the way Mr. Dollar is handling it.

There is some talk of the tomato factory not running this year.

Mrs. Alice Stinnet has moved from Mexico this county, and has located in the northern part of town.

Dr. Jim Graves went to Kuttawa Tuesday on business.

Hugh Graves has entered Draughton Business College in Paducah.

P. K. Cooksey and Sam Young went to Paducah Sunday.

Bud Harp is quite sick with pneumonia.

H. B. Bennett has been sick for several days.

The Cumberland river is level with the banks.

Miss Ada Dycus is visiting friends in Nashville this week.

Mrs. Iline Akin, who has been on a visit here to her father, Dr. J. M. Graves, returned to her home at Nashville Monday.

Zada, the little daughter of Ellis Ralston, is very sick with pneumonia.

Ellis Ralston went to Fredonia Saturday with a load of fine fish, which he caught in the Cumberland near here. He sold \$40 worth of fish last week.

Miss Lee Blackburn, of Oak Ridge, Caldwell county, visited friends here Saturday.

The school children will give an entertainment at the Opera Hall Wednesday evening for the benefit of a school library.

We are having two very interesting Sunday Schools, one at the M. E. church and one at the Baptist church. Both are very well attended, but not as well as they should be.

Eugene Brown is representing a grocery firm of Paducah. He says he is doing a good business.

Our string band treated the town to a grand serenade Saturday evening. Come again, boys, you are welcome.

The town trustees have given the school children the free use of the City Hall in which to have their entertainment, for which they are truly thankful.

Mrs. Chas. Padon went to Pinckneyville Sunday to see her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wolf, who are both dangerously sick with pneumonia.

Dr. Phillips spent last week in Paducah.

Mrs. Ida Pilaut has been very sick for the last week. Dr. J. M. Graves is attending her.

BLACKFORD.

Rafting logs is now a flourishing business along Tradewater.

Several from here attended the funeral of Uncle Harvey Travis, last Thursday.

Charlie Abner, a prominent young man, of Repton, spent Sunday here.

John N. Robert, of Mattoon, spent last week in our town.

Tom Mitchell who has been employed for some time as fireman on the I. C. R. R. left here Sunday for Oklahoma, accompanied by his family to make that state their future home.

Hauling of all kinds is now suspended on account of roads being in such bad condition.

Holland Morgan has lately exchanged a house and lot for a nice team and wagon.

Will Prow left Sunday for Shawneetown, Ill.

Al Pickens will leave in a few days for Anniston, Mo.

Maurice Horning, of Iron Hill was here last week.

Tom Morgan was in Henderson Sunday.

A little son of Lonnie McCarthy who has been ill is now convalescent.

Small boats have been taking advantage of the high water and are doing good business on Tradewater, hauling ties and lumber.

Enoch Brinkley our night watchman is preparing to go the farm at once. He has served our town as night watchman two years with best results.

Mrs. Nellie Birch, of Wheatcroft, visited her brother, Albert Litchfield, Sunday.

We now have three operators and one agent as a result of the eight hour law which has taken effect.

All gangs of section laborers have along the I. C. R. R., have lately been reduced to small forces on account of the money panic, which is claimed to be effecting railroads now to a great extent.

MATTOON.

Gid Louis has lagrippe.

Several of our people attended the speaking at Marion Saturday.

Mrs. Field Crider has been in delicate health for some time and is reported no better.

Miss Mabel Minner, one of the leading teachers, closed a very successful school at Oakland Friday. A large crowd gathered in to hear the closing exercises, and report a nice time. Should Miss Mabel see fit to teach in our midst again she will be gladly welcomed back.

Jim Howell, of Henderson county, returned home after a visit here.

The friends of Mrs. Kitty Henry are very anxious about her physical condition. For weeks she has been very sick.

Fred Hillyard, one of the most popular boys of this vicinity, is making arrangements preparatory to entering the United States Navy. Fred is acquiring a splendid education and could be well used in Crittenden county, therefore we reluctantly give him up. Yet as he takes his leave to serve in another capacity all join to wish him success.

Gus Foley has completed his new residence in our town.

Seminary school closed Feb. 14. Truly it can be said of our teacher, Mr. Fritts, that he did some excellent work here, making some splendid efforts toward educational advancement. It goes without our saying that Mr. Fritts is a teacher who teaches and our district is much the better for having secured his services.

NEW SALEM.

Mesdames Adams, Sue Threlkeld and Robert Mahan are on the sick list.

John Harpending's baby has been resting better the past few days.

Farmers are behind with their farm work.

E. L. Harpending spent part of last week at Tolu.

Tom Guess and our doctors are about the only ones who are traveling our public roads at present.

All kinds of business seems to be on a stand still through this section.

We would like to see the man who planted potatoes in February this year.

90 per cent. of the 1907 crop of tobacco has been delivered.

Services at New Salem last Sunday, preaching by Rev. Spence.

TRIBUNE.

Our mail carrier is going this week.

Curbie Thomas is on the sick list.

Willis and Fred Dollins were the guests of Harvey and Charlie Thomas, Sunday.

Dixin Phillips visited his aunt, Mrs. S. A. Lamb, Sunday.

Mrs. F. I. Travis spent last week with her son Dr. Travis, of Marion.

Found.

On public road in Crittenden county, a pocket book containing money and papers to the value of \$1,000.00. Owner may have same by proving the property to be his, and paying for this notice.

FRANK M. WALLACE, Colored, Tolu, Ky.

Girlhood and Scott's Emulsion are linked together.

The girl who takes *Scott's Emulsion* has plenty of rich, red blood; she is plump, active and energetic.

The reason is that at a period when a girl's digestion is weak, *Scott's Emulsion* provides her with powerful nourishment in easily digested form.

It is a food that builds and keeps up a girl's strength.

ALL DRUGGISTS: 50c. AND \$1.00.

John Montgomery Dies at Providence

John Montgomery, one of the oldest and best citizens of the county, died at his home in Providence Tuesday of bright disease and other ailments to which old age is heir.

The deceased was in his eightieth year. He was a consistent member of the United Baptist church and was a very bright mason, having been a member of that order for a number of years.

Mr. Montgomery was what is known as a "Forty Niner" he being one of the many who went to California from this county in 1849 to dig gold. There are only one or two of the "forty niners" left in the county. We know of only one, Wm. Givens, of near Providence.

Four children survive the deceased as follows: James, and Joe Montgomery, of Providence; Mrs. Thos. Morris, of Providence and Mrs. N. B. Hays, of Pineville, Ky.

The funeral was preached by Rev. Theodore Compton, of Owensboro Tuesday, after which burial took place in Big Hill cemetery. Members of the masonic order conducted the ceremonies.—Dixon Journal.

John Montgomery was well known in Marion, where he frequently visited his sister, Mrs. J. Bell Kevil.

Listen

and remember the next time you suffer from pain—caused by damp weather—when your head nearly bursts from neuralgia—try Ballard's Snow Liniment. It will cure you. A prominent business man of Hempstead, Texas, writes: "I have used your liniment. Previous to using it I was a great sufferer from Rheumatism and Neuralgia. I am pleased to say that that now I am free from these complaints. I am sure I owe this to your liniment." Sold by Jas. H. Orme.

My Creed.

Do not keep the alabaster boxes of your love and tenderness sealed up until your friends are dead. Fill their lives with sweetness. Speak approving, cheering words while their ears can hear them, and while their hearts can be thrilled and made happier by them; the kind things you mean to say when they are gone, say before they go. The flowers you mean to send for their coffins, send to brighten and sweeten their homes before they leave them. If my friends have alabaster boxes laid away, full of fragrant perfumes of sympathy and affection, which they intend to break over my dead body, I would rather they would bring them out in my weary and troubled hours, and open them, that I may be refreshed and cheered by them while I need them. I would rather have a plain coffin without a flower, a funeral without an eulogy, than a life without the sweetness of love and sympathy. Let us learn to anoint our friends beforehand for their burial. Post mortem kindness does not cheer the troubled spirit. Flowers on the coffin cast no fragrance backward over life's weary way.—Ex.

No Opium in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

There is not a particle of opium or other narcotic in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and never has been since it was offered to the public. It is as safe a medicine for a child as for an adult. For sale by J. H. Orme.

The Ugly Word.

When a lovely lassie tells you,

As you're sitting by her side,

That a man has never kissed her,

Though a dozen men have tried;

Though you doubt it, be not hasty,

Let your anger be deferred;

Do not qualify the lassie

By that short and angry word.

When a lovely lassie whispers

That she'll never, never wed;

That's she planned to dwell with

mother

And to care for her, instead.

Hold your tongue, O, doubting

brother,

Many times that tale you've heard;

Just remember she's a lady—

Kill that short and angry word.

When that self-same lassie murmurs

That a secret she will keep,

That she'll tell no living person—

In her heart 'twill ever sleep.

Don't believe her—do not tell her,

Treat her statement as absurd;

But it's not polite to utter

That one short and ugly word.

When a pretty lassie tells you

She can cook, although you know

That her mother's in the kitchen,

With her arms deep in the dough,

Doubting brother, be not tactless,

Though the thought may have occurred;

Though you'd like to, still you mustn't

Speak that short and ugly word.

—Detroit Free Press.

A Well Known Fact

That no skin disease, whether from internal or external origin, can long withstand the two powerful germicides, ZEMO and ZEMOTONE, they destroy the germs that cause the disease, they always cure. Write for sample, E. W. Rose Med. Co., St. Louis. All Druggists sell it.

HAYNES & TAYLOR.



After suffering for seven years, this woman was restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Read her letter.

Mrs. Sallie French, of Paucanla, Ind. Ter., writes to Mrs. Pinkham: "I had female troubles for seven years—was all run-down, and so nervous I could not do anything. The doctors treated me for different troubles but did me no good. While in this condition I wrote to Mrs. Pinkham for advice and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am now strong and well."

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?

Don't hesitate to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about your sickness you do not understand. She will treat your letter in confidence and advise you free. No woman ever regretted writing her, and because of her vast experience she has helped thousands. Address, Lynn, Mass.

A DEATH STRUGGLE

This Is How Our Correspondent Characterizes Senatorial Fight and Local Option Bill.

ALL OTHER INTERESTS SUFFER

Session of Kentucky Legislature Half Over and Practically Nothing Has Been Done, Nor Is There Much Prospect of Anything Being Done Until the Senatorial Deadlock Is Broken—Interesting Notes on the Tense Situation Prevailing at Frankfort.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 18.—The senatorial race and the county unit local option bill are still in the throes of a death struggle that is liable to drag every other interest into its vortex and all sink or swim as a result of that struggle. The session is over half gone and practically nothing has been done. Both sides are afraid to vote on any important legislation for fear it may have some effect on the senatorial fight. The tobacco legislation is being neglected, school legislation is being postponed or neglected. The legislative bodies remain in session but a short time each day and seem positively averse to doing any serious work. The Democrats say the county unit bill will pass the house this week, while the Republicans say it will not. Those who claim to be the best posted say, just as they did last week, that a senator will not be elected till the county unit bill is disposed of finally in some way. Of course there are all kinds of rumors about it. One man will tell you that he heard a Democrat say if Bradley could get enough votes to tie Beckham he would walk out of the house and not vote on that ballot, thus electing Bradley. Another man will tell you that he has heard three or four Republicans who are strong for the county unit bill say that if the few liquor Democrats try to combine with the Republicans and elect anyone but Bradley, they will vote for Beckham. Still another man will tell you that the county unit bill has nothing to do with it and that Bradley will win as soon as one of the Democrats in the house is unseated, which event will occur this week or next.

This legislature is not far behind its predecessors in the number of "scare-crow" bills before it. By "scare-crow" bills is meant bills that are introduced just to scare some corporation or some interest into doing something or paying something to have the bill defeated. A story is told on one green member that he asked an old member how he could get some railroad passes for his friends. He was told that the proper and usual way was to introduce a bill to require all railroads to push their trains with locomotives instead of pulling them. He drew up the bill and was about to offer it, but his joking friend found it out just in time to prevent it. The average new member wishes to make a "free-cord," too, and keeps his campaign promises by introducing bills on all imaginable subjects. The titles to these bills are published in the newspapers and usually that is the last ever heard of them, for they die in the committee and the author returns home and tells how he made a desperate effort to have his important measures passed, but he could make no headway because the corporations fought them, when as a matter of fact no corporation probably ever heard of his bills. They have made a "free-cord," though, and usually run for congress on it, then retire to the cooling shades of private life. This is not always the case, however, for five of the Kentucky congressmen, viz. A. D. James, Ben Johnson, W. P. Kimball, Harvey Helm and John Langley, have served in the legislature. Congressmen Ollie James, Oswald Stanley, Swagar Sherley, Joe Rhinco, J. B. Bennett and D. C. Edwards had never served in the legislature.

During the first two weeks of this session it looked like every member of the legislature wanted to have the honor of introducing a bill to repeal the dog tax law. Two or three bills were introduced every day to repeal it, and it was freely predicted that the first bill passed would be one to take the tax off of dogs. A change has taken place, however, and now it seems very doubtful if the tax is repealed at all. Nearly all these repeal bills were the result of campaign promises, the candidates pledging themselves to introduce a bill to repeal the dog tax as soon as the legislature met. They have kept the promises, but now the sheep men are making themselves felt. Several delegations of farmers from different counties have appeared before the committees having the bills in charge and while the discussions have been warm and the anti-dog-tax men have been insistent, there has been a decided change in sentiment. The sheep raisers say the law is just now beginning to be understood and its effect appreciated; that hundreds of sheep were lost last year by dogs, but the owners have been paid full value for the sheep, something that was never done before. They urge that if the law is given a further trial of two years it will never be repealed, as it will be thoroughly demonstrated in that time that the law is an absolute necessity

and works no hardship on anyone.

So far only two bills have passed both houses and are ready for the approval of the governor, these two being a bill giving the governor the power to appoint a stenographer for his office and a bill providing for several messengers and stenographers for the senate and house. A number of bills, however, have passed one house and may pass the other before the session ends, amongst the number being the Crecelius tobacco bill which provides a heavy fine for a violation of a contract to pool tobacco. It has passed the house and may come up in the senate this week and be passed. The Newman bill to prevent the sale of adulterated or misbranded field seeds has passed the senate, and it carries with it an appropriation of \$2,000 a year to have seeds tested by the Experiment Station, and if found to be adulterated or misbranded, the dealer will be fined. The Newman bill appropriating \$40,000 for buildings on the state fair grounds in Louisville has also passed the senate. Other bills that have passed the senate but not the house are as follows: Appropriating \$30,000 a year to carry into effect the bill to prevent the sale of adulterated or misbranded foods, drugs and liquors.

Fixing the salary of the Lieutenant governor at \$2,500 per year.

Providing for a vote on the question of amending the constitution so that property may be classified for taxation.

Giving the builder of a partnership line fence a lien on the land for the cost of the fence.

Appropriating \$50,000 for a new governor's mansion.

The following bills have passed the house but not the senate:

The Crecelius tobacco bill; the Lillard pure food, drug and liquor bill, which is the same as the bill passed by the senate.

Politics must be a very fascinating game, for it seems as if it once gets a good hold on a young man he never lets it alone. As an example of this, the two nominees for United States senator, W. O. Bradley and J. C. W. Beckham were both, in their boyhood, pages in the Kentucky house of representatives. They both became imbued with politics while associating with the politicians in the legislature, and both have followed the game till each is the recognized head of his party in Kentucky. Bradley was a page in the historical sessions of 1861-62, being appointed to the position by Sergeant-at-Arms John L. Smedley. Twenty years later, in 1881-82, Beckham served as page, being appointed by William E. Ralley of Woodford county, who was sergeant-at-arms that session.

A strong fight is being made, especially by the Shelby county dairymen, against the Simmons bills, which seeks to eradicate tuberculosis from dairy cattle by the compulsory administration of the tuberculin test under state supervision, and providing for an indemnity not exceeding \$50 for each infected cow that is destroyed by order of the state authorities. Dr. H. D. Rodman, president of the Kentucky Dairymen's association, and others who have urged the passage of the bill, say it is in the interest of public health, and is the only way to secure pure milk. Those who oppose the bill say the tuberculin test is not at all infallible and not nearly so good as the bacteriological test, and intimate that the bill is really in the interest of the veterinary surgeons. The bill is the outgrowth of the campaign in the cities for purer and better milk, but it is doubtful about it being passed.

The following new bills of importance have been introduced the past week:

Act providing for official stenographers for circuit courts at \$1,200 per year salary.

Act to award the deposits in the hands of the state treasurer, and sheriffs to the highest bidder.

Act to prevent the opening of theatres on Sunday.

Act to prohibit any officeholder from serving as committeemen for any political party.

Act to reduce the state tax on insurance premiums from \$2 on the \$100 to \$1 on the \$100.

Act to regulate the manner in which common carriers shall settle claims for loss of or damage to freight shipped in this state.

Act to authorize the use of the old state house building in Frankfort for another state normal school.

Act to provide for better school-houses and to establish a state board of construction and inspection for school buildings.

Act authorizing the commissioner of agriculture to furnish poison to the tobacco growers of each county and appropriating money to pay expenses of warfare against the tobacco fly.

The constitution provides that not more than two proposed amendments to it can be voted on by the people at any one election and that the legislature shall not authorize a vote on more than two amendments at any one session. The senate has already passed two bills authorizing votes on two proposed amendments, and therefore cannot authorize any more this session, unless the house should refuse to concur in those already passed. This cuts off any chance to vote on the amendment which proposes to allow a vote of the whole state on prohibition, until next session. One of the two bills passed by the senate proposing an amendment to the constitution, is of vital importance, as it provides for the classification of property for taxation. JOHN H. STUART.

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ONE FAULT HIDING ANOTHER

Two Blunders of Self-Made Millionaire That Aroused Ire of English Aristocrat.

A Christian Scientist of Boston was praising the late earl of Dunmore.

"Lord Dunmore," he said, "was a good Christian Scientist and a good man. Tall and robust and supple, I can see him still with his short gray beard and his kind face. His one fault—a fault due to his aristocratic upbringing, no doubt—was the exaggerated value that he set upon correctness. He insisted on correctness in eating, in dress, in everything."

"At dinner in Beacon street last year I heard him tell a story about an incorrect self-made man, or 'nouveau riche,' as he called him."

"This man was dressing one evening to go out. His wife bustled into the room before he started to look him over."

"But, George," she said, reproachfully, "aren't you going to wear your diamond studs to the banquet?"

"No. What's the use?" George growled. "My napkin would hide 'em anyway."

THE LARGEST FLOWER.

The world's largest flower is a parasite found in the island of Sumatra and known to botanists as *Rafflesia Arnoldii* and was first discovered by a Dr. Arnold, in whose honor it was named. Other species also occur in Java, and the Philippines. A party of travelers found one of these flowers about four feet in diameter, and not having any scales made a balance, using certain packed boxes to offset the flower. These were marked, and when weighed at their destination, found to be 22½ pounds, truly a remarkable weight for a single blossom. This flower emits such a powerful stench that its presence is known long before it can be seen, so that while one may pause to wonder, he will not tarry to admire.

KNEW BY EXPERIENCE.



Cook—A new lodger came while you were out, sir, a young lady.

Starvem (lodging house keeper)—Is she pretty?

Cook—Awfully.

Starvem—Well, put an extra strip of carpet in front of her mirror.

POPPING THE QUESTION.

Apropos of the recent marriage of a young lawyer to one of the more brilliant New York girls:

He paid his addresses for seven years without much advancing his suit; then an old friend urged him to drop his timidity and go in and win! "You are utterly insensitive to the power of love!" he exclaimed to his innamorata the next time he called.

"It does not follow," she archly replied, "that I am so because I am not to be won by power of attorney."

"Forgive me," he replied, "but you should remember that all the votaries of Cupid are solicitors." She capitulated.

CORRECT SPEECH.

The refining influence of correct speech is a remarkable fact, and its effect upon the development of the child cannot be questioned. Morally, we believe it to have the power to lift him into better ways of living, because its natural environment is among those who think more deeply and who strive for better things. The growth of a child's education is as much in the hand of the mother as in that of the teacher. The teacher may "plant," but the home life "giveth the increase."

ALMOST WEIRD.

"Queer thing about that automobile accident at two o'clock this morning."

"What was queer about it? You wouldn't expect an automobile to be run against a stone wall without causing any damage, would you?"

"No, but there were no chorns gels in it."

THE END OF HIS ROUTE

Unfortunate Man Displayed Sense of Humor Under Embarrassing Circumstances.

One cold wintry morning a man of tall and angular build was walking down a steep hill at a quick pace. A treacherous piece of ice under the snow caused him to lose control of his feet; he began to slide and was unable to stop.

At a cross street half-way down the decline he encountered a large, heavy woman, with her arms full of bundles. The meeting was sudden, and before either realized it a collision ensued and both were sliding down hill, a grand ensemble—the thin man underneath, the fat woman and bundles on top. When the bottom was reached and the woman was trying in vain to recover her breath and her feet, these words were borne to her:

"Pardon me, madam, but you will have to get off here. This is as far as I go."

BEWITCHED KITCHEN TOOLS.

"I don't believe anybody in the world has such deadly kitchen utensils as I have," the woman complained. "I never go into my kitchen, and it's a pretty little kitchen, too, that something doesn't fly up and hit me. There's my toasting fork. It has an awful grudge against me. It will fall every chance it gets from wherever I put it and stick in my toe. And the tea kettle! That is a frightful enemy of mine. I never reach my arm over it that it doesn't bob its top up and leave a bright red mark from its terrible steam. The kettle I boil the potatoes in does the same thing, and as for the irons! If I make the slightest attempt to iron any little thing, a towel or a handkerchief, they just try to see if they can't burn me to death."

GREAT CAFE D'ARMENONVILLE.

The Parisian men are not likely to grumble at being asked to dine in dress clothes in any particular London restaurant, for they have in Paris one dining place where this unwritten law has always been enforced. No man ever goes to dine at the Armenonville, in the Bois de Boulogne, without putting on his dress clothes. Why fashion has decreed that a Frenchman may dine at any of the boulevard restaurants in tenue de ville, but must wear a swallowtail coat when he drives to the big park of Paris to dine, no one knows; it is the custom, and there, to a Parisian, is the end of it.—Bellman.

HELP CHILDREN PLAY.

There is in London a Children's Happy Evening association and the members of it are young men and women of means and social standing who give gratuitously their time and money to provide enjoyment for children in the congested districts. The municipality provides a club-room in the school buildings and there the children are taught games, painting, boxing, toymaking and old-time pastimes. The majority of the poor do not take kindly to the settlement house idea, but a "club-room," where there is no organized play, but opportunity for a real good time, would naturally attract.

THE SOFT ANSWER.



"Sir, your dog tried to bite me."

"Ah, madam, he always had such a sweet tooth."

THE NEW QUARTZ INDUSTRY.

In the last few years the smelting of quartz, to be cast into a great variety of vases, capsules, crucibles, hollow balls, tubes, etc., has assumed considerable industrial importance. Quartz melted in the electric furnace forms a glass of iridescent brilliance, with which many kinds of jewels and ornaments are made. It can be colored with great ease, and in a great variety of tones and shades. In laboratories, apparatus made of smelted quartz has become practically indispensable.—Youth's Companion.

MUNICIPALUNACY.

By JOHN KENDRICK BANGS.

The greatest invasion of the rights of private parties as yet recorded is alleged to have occurred recently at Athens, N. Y., where, according to a dispatch from the local correspondent of a New York paper, a citizen unknown, dissatisfied with the quality of the tar pavements, covered them with feathers, with the usual result. This is the first time in the history of American municipalities that a town has been tarred and feathered. We hope the tendency will stop with this beginning, for we should not like to wake up some morning to find that our chosen city had either been lynched or ridden upon a rail.

The latest report of the government telegraphs and telephones of Great Britain shows a loss for the year of \$5,000,000. The proportion of this loss properly borne by the telephone department is an indication that, as far as the taxpayers of Britain are concerned, talk is no cheaper than it used to be.

Orange, Tex., is one of the latest towns to come in out of the wet. That city constructed a small waterworks system some years ago and operated it for several years prior to 1902 at a clear loss. In that year the city entered into a lease with a private company, and the other day the contract was revised and renewed for twenty years. We are glad to note that at least one Orange recognizes a lemon when it sees it and refuses to allow itself to be squeezed any longer.

How would you like to eat butter made by the fair hand of a plumber? Not much, eh? Well, look out for the man who proposes to have your house supplied with gas made under the expert eye of the ward politician who has studied statesmanship and civics in the sacred precincts of a corner saloon. The particular kind of gas in which he excels may be the kind that cannot be blown out, but you will seldom find it illuminating until your tax bill comes in.

As to municipal ownership of street railways, did you ever stop to figure out the ownership of a road that would run, say, from Portland, Me., to Portsmouth, N. H., passing as it does through Biddeford, Saco, Kennebunk, the townships of Wells and York, thence through Kittery into Portsmouth? They used to say that it was a wise child that knew his own father, but he would be an idiot alongside of a railway that, passing through so many civic hands as that mentioned above, recognized its dotting parent. Solomon himself would have been sorely taxed in rendering judgment in a case like that, and those who are familiar with the Scriptures are aware that in matters of that precise kind he was the wisest man on record.

Ex-Mayor Weaver of Philadelphia advocates the establishment of a municipal bank. It isn't a bad idea. It will enable the grafter in public office to get at the money of the people without all the wearisome and sordid detail at present necessary to the accomplishment of the same ends. Then, too, depositors who are careful about their accounts will know to a cent just how much they are being despoiled of, which in these days of indiscriminate municipal looting is truly an advantage.

Philadelphia Suburbanites Aggrieved. When Philadelphia leased its gas works ten years ago, it retained one plant, which serves the Tacony and Holmesburg districts. In recording the action of a meeting of the citizens of these districts, when a committee was appointed to carry their grievance to the mayor, the Philadelphia Record says:

"The plant was built twenty-five years ago and is declared to be in miserable condition, affording an inadequate and inferior supply of gas, although a handsome profit is returned to the city each year by its operation. The capacity of the plant has not been improved to keep pace with the growth of that section of the city. Frequent breaks in the mains leave the householders without gas."

Sample Civil Service Examination.

This comes from Canada. A politician there was appointed to a position which technically had to be occupied by a lawyer, which the appointee was not. In order to obviate the technicality a board of examiners was appointed to question him as to his knowledge of the law. The first question by the board was, "What do you know about the law?" and the modest response was, "To tell the truth, I do not know a single thing." Whereupon the board intimated that the questioning was at an end and submitted a report on the examination, in which it was gravely stated, "We have examined the appointee as to his knowledge of the law, and to the best of our knowledge and belief he has answered all the questions with entire correctness."—Cincinnati Citizens' Bulletin.

A Long Beat.

After a short residence in this country an Irishman applied for appointment on the police force. While undergoing the civil service examination he was asked among other questions if he knew the distance between New York and San Francisco, and he replied doubtfully, "Well, I don't know the distance exactly, but if that's going to be my beat I don't want the job."—Exchange.

GONE OUT OF BUSINESS.

Cities Find That Individuals Can Run Their Plants More Economically.

The mayor of Lowell, Ind., is authority for the statement that the municipal electric light plant was sold early in September to parties who will install a new plant. Apparently the city plant had been allowed to run down until it was ready for the scrap heap.

In 1899 the citizens of Le Roy, N. Y., voted to purchase the electric light plant. After operating it a few months the city took advantage of a technicality and turned it over to the former owners without having made any payment to them. It is stated that while run by the city the operating expenses alone exceeded by 60 per cent the entire cost of lights under private management.

In 1897 a municipal electric light plant was established at Mohawk, N. Y., bonds for \$21,000 being issued in payment therefor. By 1904 the authorities realized that it was costing too much, the generating plant was shut down, and a contract was made with a company to supply current, take full charge of maintaining the street lights and pump the water for the village. This arrangement is said to be satisfactory.

In 1893 Ballard, Wash., installed an electric light plant at an initial cost of \$24,000, which was doubtless increased considerably during the ten years the plant was operated by the city. In 1903 the plant was leased for fifty years to a company which paid \$3,800 for the lease and its franchise and agreed to do a certain amount of pumping for the city waterworks during the continuance of the lease. A well informed citizen of Seattle, to which Ballard has recently been annexed, writes:

"The reason that the city of Ballard sold its municipal lighting plant was that the total income from this plant equaled about 30 per cent of the cost of operating it."

SOLD AT LARGE LOSSES.

Four Towns Find Municipal Plants Are Too Expensive.

In Iuka, Miss., an electric light plant was installed in 1900 at a cost of \$7,000. In December, 1906, it was leased because of the "difficulty in keeping a competent electrician," to quote the words of the mayor.

From Council Grove, Kan., comes word that the "city formerly owned the electric light plant, but made a failure of operating it and sold dynamo, engine and wiring for \$650. The present company rebuilt the entire system and is giving satisfaction. The rate was a little lower under city control, but did not meet expenses."

Some time prior to 1902 Bourbon, Ind., contracted for an electric light plant and issued bonds in payment therefor. On the ground that it had not been constructed in accordance with the specifications the town refused to accept it, and the bondholders were compelled to take over the plant in order to protect themselves.

Madison, Ind., installed an electric light plant in 1896 at a cost of \$13,000, not including steam plant. Two years later the plant was sold for \$6,000. The operating expenses alone amounted to about \$45 a lamp, which implies a total cost per lamp of approximately \$100 a year. The purchasers agreed to supply lights at \$80 a year and to install and operate an electric railway.

Middlemen.

The first step in effecting a mutual understanding between the public and the utilities companies is to eliminate the middlemen—the legislators who introduce strike bills in order to extort money from corporations whose legitimate business is threatened and the city bosses and councilmen who demand money for themselves or positions for their henchmen as the price of granting franchises or privileges necessary to these companies to conduct or extend their business—for the public welfare. These men are not, as they claim, representatives of the people, but traitors to the people, for every dollar which they wring from corporations comes ultimately from the pockets of the people. These men perform no useful service. They are merely leeches, fattening on the mutual needs of the people and the corporations.

There's a Reason.

Municipally governed plants do not have the close supervision that is given to a plant conducted by a corporation or private company.

The officers in charge of a municipal plant are usually satisfied if the books balance up at the end of their term. They have no interest in the institution beyond the time of their term of office. "Let the next administration take care of that problem," is the usual reply when future troubles are anticipated. And that is the reason why the "next administration" is often compelled to make municipal ownership appear as a failure.—Maywood (Ill.) Herald-Recorder.

Where Ignorance Is Bliss.

In response to a request for a copy of the latest report of the electric light plant the city clerk of Topeka, Kan., writes:

"The city owns its own plant and has no reports."

As this is but one of many similar replies, it looks as though city officials realize the danger of letting the people know the facts and that the average citizen is strangely uninquisitive about the spending of public money.

Political Theorist—Do you believe in municipal ownership?

Ex-Boss—What's the use? These here squealers won't stay bought.—Baltimore American.

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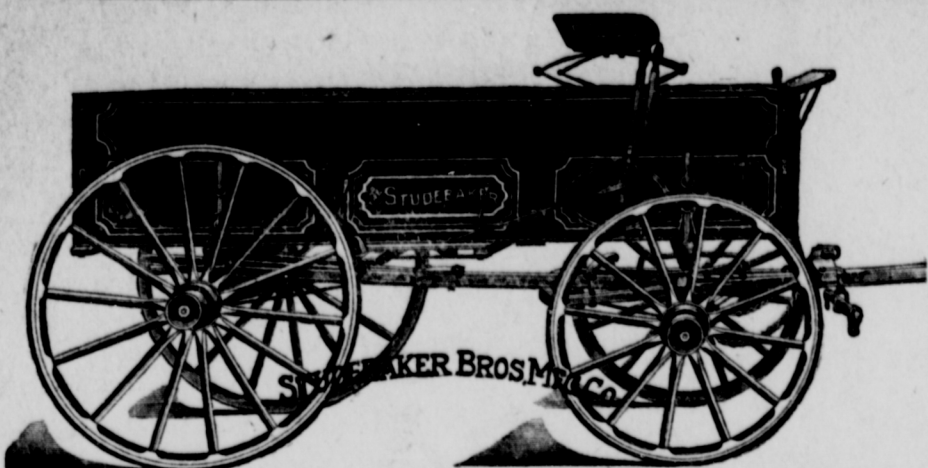
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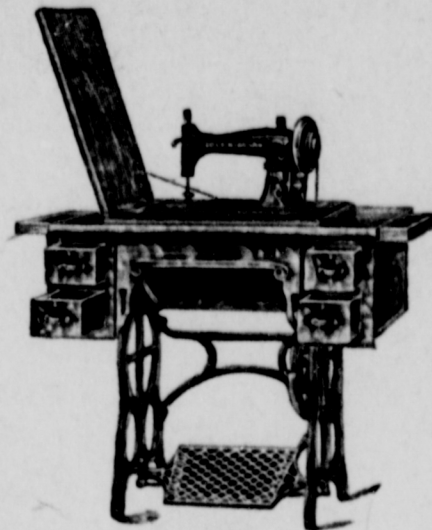
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CHAPEL HILL.

J. T. Bigham has returned home from Nashville and reports that the doctor says he is getting along very well.

Miss Nellie Adams was the guest of Miss Dickie Rankin of Marion, Saturday night and Sunday.

Charlie Clement returned home from Nashville last Thursday, the same week he left, with his son Walter. The operation was performed and Walter is getting along fine.

James Fowler is building a fine stock barn. Jim will build a fine dwelling this Fall which will greatly improve the looks of the place.

Lesley Elder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Elder will leave for Washington Tuesday.

E. H. Bigham traded horses with James Woodall, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ward were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bigham Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hill, of Crayne, visited in Chapel Hill last week.

Cal Adams is still pulling grubs on his farm.

Sheely Acee will make a crop on Mrs. John Longs place.

We learned from Dr. R. M. Franks that G. W. Perry has moved to Dick Mayes property near Jack Baker's farm, also Jack Baker's goats have moved down from the upper story of his barn and have taken possession of his orchard, they have trimmed up the tree, both branch and body. Franks also says he thinks Baker's rabbits have moved

to Silvery Heights to get possession of his orchard before the goats complete their job at Baker's. He also says that he don't know whether the Senatorial election had anything to do with the goats or rabbits, but hopes that each farmer may be allowed a standing army against the rabbits any way.

LEVIAS.

March like a lion is here.

L. A. LaRue, of Sheridan, was in this section last week surveying.

Glad Threlkeld and two sons visited relatives between the rivers a few days ago.

A few of our citizens are troubled with Mexico fever and will probably go there soon for treatment.

James B. Carter has the banner cry of lambs. He has nearly fifty and has lost out one. The secret of this success is attention. It would pay sheep raisers to visit Mr. Carter and get his methods.

John Grimes came home last week having closed a successful school near Carrsville. He leaves us again this week, however, for Memphis, Tenn., where he has a position as bookkeeper.

S. H. Franklin, of Marion, has exchanged his farm here for a house and lot in Marion. He traded with Tet Bebout.

Daniel Jones was buried at Union Saturday. He was a young man of splendid worth and greatly appreciated by his many friends. Of late years he has lived near Tolu. He leaves an aged mother and one brother and a host of friends to mourn his loss.

CROOKED CREEK.

Health is good here.

Rev. Hurst will preach here every first Sunday.

Rev. E. B. Blackburn will preach here every fifth Sunday.

Miss Dessie Thurman left Monday for Greenville.

Bill Fritts had a barn raising last Friday.

John Winder and wife left Tuesday for Sikeston, Mo.

H. Koltinsky will soon move his saw mill to Henry Holloman's.

Lonnie Parris has been on the sick list but is improving.

Roy Fritts left Tuesday for Sikeston, Mo.

Mrs. Anthony Murphy visited W. H. Thurman Friday.

Dave Guess, of Marion, passed through here Sunday.

SALEM.

Rev. B. E. Goodrum filled his regular appointment at the church here Sunday at noon and night. Owing to the unfavorable weather the attendance was small.

Miss Laura Parker has been sick for some time and at present is improving, being attended by Drs. Hayden and Threlkeld.

Mrs. Daisy Vaughn, of near Blackford, passed through here on her way home. She has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fryer, of Salem vicinity.

The party given by Miss Sallie Grassham last Thursday evening was quite a success and everybody reported a good time.

This being leap year it is time for the ladies to hustle and the bashful men to get married. So don't get surprised if the "old maids" give parties and entertainments. This is to give them an opportunity to make their selection and to choose one they most admire from the many silent applicants.

Roads of this section are almost impassable and but little hopes of improvement before spring.

FORDS FERRY.

Gilliam Kirk has recently been making ties.

W. C. Truitt has rented twenty-four acres of corn land from Joseph Kirk for this year.

Lee Rankin was in Fords Ferry Friday.

Mrs. Ethel Kirk was the guest of Mrs. Henry Truitt Wednesday.

The enterprising citizens of Fords Ferry have recently purchased a fine ferry boat to be used in crossing the creek. Aaron James will have charge of the boat, and those that did not help pay for the boat will be charged five cents for crossing.

Heath school closed Friday at which a large crowd was present who reported an excellent time. Mr. Powell has taught a good school.

QUIETLY SET A TRAP

How the Republicans Brought About the Election of Bradley For Senator.

DEMOCRATS CAUGHT NAPPING

The Latter Were Not Looking for Things to Take the Turn They Did on That Eventful Friday and Were Taken Unawares.

Frankfort, Ky., March 3.—The senatorial race came to an unexpected close last Friday, when the four Democrats, Charlton, McNutt and Mueller of Louisville and Lillard of Boyle, who have persistently refused to vote for Beckham, voted for Bradley and elected him. The finish was an exciting one, as the Republicans quietly set a trap for the Democrats and caught them napping. It takes seventy votes to make a quorum of the joint assembly, and if all the Democrats but those who voted for Bradley had remained out of the joint session Friday there would not have been a quorum, as several Republicans were out of the city. The Democrats knew this, but as the absent Republicans and Democrats were paired, they thought it would not make any difference, and that the day's ballot would be just like the others that preceded it. When the roll-call began the Democrats voted for Beckham and the Republicans for Bradley. When Charlton's name was called he voted for Wheeler Campbell as usual, but after five or six Democrats had voted for Beckham, which insured a quorum, he arose and changed his vote to Bradley. The Democrats realized then that they were in the meshes of the trap, and as the roll-call proceeded there was much scurrying about and hurried whispered conferences, but when McNutt, Mueller and Lillard all voted for Bradley the race was over. The Democrats fought for time to try to get together and allow the bolting Democrats to select some other Democrat and unite on him, but it was too late, the die was cast. Governor Beckham came inside the hall and whispered to some of his leaders. Senator Combs of Lexington announced that Beckham was no longer a candidate and all Democrats were at liberty to vote for any other Democrat they might choose, but they could unite on no other man. Senator Newman of Woodford announced that he was authorized to say that a caucus of the Democrats would be held that night and another nominee selected if the bolting Democrats would come back and keep Bradley from being elected, but it all did no good, and after more than an hour of wrangling the result was finally announced and Bradley declared elected, sixty-four having voted for him and sixty-three against him. It was the first time in the history of the state that legislators elected by one political party had gone completely over and helped elect the nominee of the other party. Many instances are on record where legislators refused to support their party nominee, but they always cast their votes for another member of their party. Of course there is some bitterness and charges that money was used are being made, but the public has grown so accustomed to money being used in politics that it is looked upon as a matter of course. Anyhow, if it was sought to prove who paid the money or who received it, the witnesses would likely testify like the negro witness when asked what was the color of the suit worn by the man he had seen running through his house, and he replied: "Well, sir, it seems as if he had on a dark, red-checked, wine-colored, brown suit." The public will be ready to believe that money was used, but as to who paid, who received it or how much was paid, nobody will ever tell.

There is much speculation as to what effect the result in the senatorial race will have on the county unit local option bill, but no one seems to know, as one side says it means the defeat of the bill, while the other side says it means the bill will surely pass. The bill has already passed the house and is now in the senate awaiting what ever fate may befall it. It has been the current understanding about Frankfort that the bill would be passed by the house whenever it came to a vote, but that it would be held up and killed by delay when it reached the senate, as that body has been considered about evenly divided on the question. The senate committee on religion and morals, to which such bills are always referred, is largely composed of anti-county-unit senators, and if the house bill is referred to that committee it may refuse to report it at all. This being the case, a fight will likely be made to refer it to some other committee more favorable to its passage. It is believed here that if the bill is not passed, Governor Willson may call an extra session and name this measure as one to be considered.

Governor Willson sent another message to the legislature a few days ago, in which he renewed many of his former recommendations. In addition he says the governor under the present law has no power to make or have made the necessary investigations that might result in the conviction of the night riders, and asks the legislature to set apart a fund of \$25,000 which may be under the governor's control, to be used in apprehending and convicting men guilty of these crimes. He says the militia has been on duty for the past three months have already cost the state about \$12,000. He urges the passage of a law directing the attorney general and his assistants to take charge of and control all investigations of offenses against the laws, where the attorney general believes the local authorities are likely to fail to prosecute such offenses. He asks for a speedy consideration of the county unit bill and urges the adoption of a bill redistricting the state into legislative districts. He says the attorney general should be authorized to investigate the cause of the troubles in the tobacco districts and also investigate the trusts and their connection with the troubles. He thinks the military fund is not large enough, and urges the appropriation of \$75,000 a year, so as to put the Kentucky soldiers on an equal footing with the soldiers of other states. He recommends a law giving state aid to the building of public roads, and again urges that provision be made for non-partisan boards to control the state charity and penal institutions. He calls attention to the fact that there is but little money in the state treasury, and says the legislature should be careful in making appropriations. In concluding his message he says: "I beg to extend to every member of the general assembly the hope that we shall be found working together for the general welfare, with prudence, courage and good judgment and with hope and faith, and that the remaining days of the session may be uninterrupted by death or any misfortune, and may bring forth good fruits, of diligent, unceasing and good work in completing the business of the people entrusted to the legislative department, and I hope that the general assembly will not delay in what it can do to give power and means to put an end to the conditions of lawlessness and disorder. It has seldom happened that anyone who bore the name of Kentuckian was willing to hide his face or personality, and it is a grief and a shame that we have come to a time when hundreds of people living in Kentucky do go by night in lawless bands with faces hidden under masks and bodies disguised, to rob people of their liberties, to inflict shameless indignities, to terrorize whole communities and to destroy the liberty, rights and the property values of the people of the state."

The bill changing the name of the A. & M. college at Lexington to the

"State University" has passed both houses and will probably be approved by the governor this week. The Sullivan bill appropriating \$200,000 to the state university and \$150,000 each to the two state normal schools at Richmond and Bowling Green, has passed both houses and is ready for the governor's signature. The appropriations are mainly for new buildings for these institutions. It is announced that Mr. Carnegie has agreed to give \$30,000 to each of the normal schools to help pay for library buildings, and if this is true the much-needed libraries for the schools are now assured. The attendance of pupils at the two normal schools has grown so enormously that it is likely a third school will be established, and a bill has already been introduced to authorize the use of the old statehouse buildings at Frankfort for the third school as soon as the new statehouse is occupied by the state officials.

There is a lively fight ahead, it is said, over the bill appropriating \$450,000 to complete and furnish the new statehouse and beautify the grounds surrounding it. The bill as introduced by Senator Bosworth passed the senate last week with a provision in it that the present architect, Frank M. Andrews, be retained to complete the building. This section is objectionable to Governor Willson, and in his special message to the legislature he said so, as he insists that the selection or retention of the architect is an executive function and not a legislative one.

The following bills have passed the senate and will now go to the house for its approval:

The Combs bill, providing that non-residents of this state that have intangible property in trust in this state shall not be required to pay taxes thereon in this state.

Bill appropriating \$25,000 each to the Western asylum and the Central asylum and \$17,500 to the Feeble-Minded institution.

The bill creating an educational commission to codify the school laws of Kentucky and to investigate the school systems of other states and report to the next legislature such legislation as will improve our system.

The Carleton bill fixing the pay of members of the legislature at \$10 per day instead of \$5.

The McChord tobacco bill, which places the growing of tobacco under the police power of the state, has met with much delay and many obstructions in the house. It was delayed several days by the death of Representative McKnight, and then it was reliably reported that the American Tobacco company was on the eve of taking over all the burley tobacco at association prices, which if true would somewhat lessen the necessity for the passage of the measure. Later when the bill came up for discussion one or two members from the dark tobacco district opposed the bill on the ground that the dark tobacco people did not want the law passed. It will come up again this week, but strenuous efforts will be made to defeat it, and it is charged that the American Tobacco company is using all its powerful influence against it.

JOHN H. STUART.

Card of Thanks.

We thank the kind people of Crayne, for the kindness shown to our dear companion, mother, daughter, and sister in her sickness and death. May God's richest blessing rest upon you all and when affliction come your way may the same sweet spirit of love be administered unto you. ED WALKER AND SON, FATHER, MOTHER, BROTHER AND SISTERS.

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